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FM AMEMBASSY SAN JOSE

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3727

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E. O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: MILI, CS

SUBJECT: MUNITIONS CONTROL: EXPORT LICENSE APPLICATION

56926, SMITH & WESSON

1. PROPOSED SALE IS BONA FIDE, BANCO ANGLO OFFICIAL CONFIRMED THAT THEY DESIRE SIX SUBMACHINE GUNS TO ADD TO THE THREE THEY ALREADY HAVE FOR INTERNAL SECURITY PURPOSES. (FYI - EXISTING THREE ARE ALSO SMITH AND WESSON, AND PRESUMABLY DEPT GRANTED EXPORT LICENSE FOR THEIR SALE. BANK'S SECURITY MANAGER TOLD EMBASSY PUBLIC SAFETY ADVISOR THAT HE HAD RECOMMENDED PURCHASE OF SHOTGUNS INSTEAD OF ADDITIONAL SUBMACHINE GUNS, BUT THAT BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAD OVERRULED HIM. END FYI.) WHILE WE COMPLETELY AGREE SHOTGUNS MORE APPROPRIATE, WE HAVE NO GROUNDS UPON WHICH TO RECOMMEND AGAINST ISSUANCE OF EXPORT LICENSE.

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*** Current Handling Restrictions *** n/a

*** Current Classification *** LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

Message Attributes

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